CHAP. 88.

pointed to lay out

1. BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Samuel Tenant, Robert Dodson, Nathan Harrington, Thomas commissioness ap- Hambleton and Daniel Fiddeman, be and they are hereby appointed commissioners to lay out, survey, mark and bound, a public road in said county, not exceeding twenty five feet wide, at the expense of the petitioners, beginning at the division line between James Harrison and Samuel Harrison, or the division line between James Harrison and Joseph Harrison, and running in such direction to the public road leading from Easton to William Haddaway's ferry as the nature of the ground and conveniencies of the landholders over which the same may run will admit of: Provided. that the said road shall not be laid out over any orchard, garden, yard or meadow, of any person, without his or her consent in writing first had and obtained.

Proviso.

Plot thereof to be returned to clerk and recorded.

2. AND BE IT ENACTED. That the said commissioners, or a majority of them, are hereby directed to return a plot of said road when surveyed, marked and laid out as aforesaid, to the clerk of the county court, to be by him recorded; which road, when laid out, cleared and made passable, and received by two justices of the peace to be appointed by the levy court of the county aforesaid. shall be deemed and taken as a public road for ever thereafter, and shall be kept up and repaired as all other public roads in said county are.

CHAP. LXXXIX.

Passed Dec. 19.

An Act to incorporate a Company in the City of Baltimore, entitled, The United Hose and Suction Engine Company. Lib. TH. No. 3, fel. 430.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is represented to this general assembly, that the members of the United Hose and Suction Engine Company, of the city of Baltimore, have purchased an engine and other apparatus for the extinguishment of fire, and have adopted a constitution for the government of said company; and in order to give effect to the laws, rules and regulations, which have or may be established by the said company, it has been prayed that an act of incorporation may pass in their favour; therefore,

President, &c. incorporated.

1. BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That James Power, the president of said company, and such other persons as are now or hereafter may become members of the same, shall be and are hereby declared to be, one community, corporation and body politic, for ever hereafter, by the name and style of The United Hose and Suction Engine Company, and by that name they shall be and are hereby made able and capable in law, to have, purchase, receive, possess, enjoy and retain, to them and their successors, lands, tenements, rents, annuities or other hereditaments, and the same to grant, demise, alien or dispose of, in such manner as they may judge most conducive to the interest of the company; Provided nevertheless, that the said corporation or body politic shall not at any one time hold or possess property, real, personal or mixed, exceeding the sum of one thousand dollars per annum.

Proviso.

2. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the said company, and their successors, by the aforesaid name, shall for ever hereafter be able and capable in law to sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded, answer and be answered, defend and be defended, in all or any courts of

Powers and privileges.